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their stock of Diamond shirts, Car Standard cultivators and Newton WM. GIESEN'S. wagons just in at

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Several good residences for rent or sale. T. C. JOHNSON. Apply to Oxen, Houses, lots and land for sale. A. B. CHENOWETH,

Martindale, Texas.

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For mammoth family group portraits and all other photos, call at Chapman & Wil-liams', for the next sixty days.

A choice lot of fine and fresh candies just received at Coppie's, west side square.

Don't fail to see the new stock of hats, neckwear and hosiery at S. L. Pegues & Co's.

FAT STOCK.

To keep fat stock plant Johnson grass. I just out which has an Ecru body and color-have seed for sale cheap, taken from grass ed figures. The new "Santille" lace in white is for trimming white and figured

JUST ARRIVED. Our Straw Hats—the cheapest and best lot ever in the town. S. L. Pegues & Co.

PATTERNS! PATTERNS!! We are now in receipt of a complete stock

of Botterick's Patterns, embracing every-thing needed in a complete wardrobs. Jourson & Jourson. season than last. Respt. Mas. E. C. Vixes. To families, hotels and restaurance on a selling cannot corn at 10 cts. per can; that the goods have arrived and opened up that the goods have arrived and opened up beyond our expectations. Ladies, please beyond our expectations. To families, hotels and restaurants we are manual goods at 25 cfs. per can. B. F. Brower & Co.

A Copious rain fell on Monday night, Crop prospects are first-class.

Subscriptions are being solicited in aid of the erection of the pavilion on Chautauqua Hill. It is a most worthy object, and we trust there will be a liberal response on the part of our people. We shall have more to say on the subject next week.

Mr. Hopkins has done a good thing in naking a pavement in front of his property on the cast side occupied by Miss Davidson Something which has long been needed Hope that sort of enterprise may go all

We last week gave the full vote for mayor, marshall, and such of the aldermen as had opposition. Those were the leading positions, were severely contested and pretty much all the interest centred in them. Hence only, we omitted the figures as to the remainder.

#### Murder at Staples's Store.

About two o'clock yesterday afternoon two young men attending school at Staples Store got into a quarrel. Their names were Edwards and Staufield. Stanfield was stabbed by Edwards and killed. The parents of young Edwards reside in Columbus.

The Blymyer Iron Works Co., of Cin-Chinese and African Sugar-canes, treatment of cane-juice, and the apparatus for making syrup and sugar, A useful manual, we will save hundreds of dollars by their esshould think. It will be furnished free on tablishment, the present year.

for our next issue :

Total Receipts for year ending April 1st. \$3584.05. Total disbursements for the

sum for the lot purchased by the city. Parasols from 15cts to \$12.50 each at

DAILEY & BRO. We heard a lady remark on the Streets that the Dailey's had the prettiest line of parasols she ever saw.

The "White" never fails to win. It costs othing to try it. BASIL DAILEY, Agt. Just Received, Car load of Salt, fine and HARDY & Co's.

Be sure you see the White Machine before you buy, It always wins. BASIL DAILEY, Agt. We have just bought a fine lot of corn fed

beeves and will give our friends what they ROGERS & STOREY. Reduced prices on all canned goods to very lowest figures in order to reduce stock HABDY & Co's.

Geo. Briggs has received a consignment of the famous Denton Texas Flour-None better. Patronize home industry.

Mrs. Richardson is expecting a large asortment of hats, trimmings, etc, in a few

Received at B. F. Blount & Co's., one car of the celebrated Denton Mills Flour. Price good goods before purchasing else-Our stock of Millinery has arrived and

Mrs. J. A. Bell is now with us. Cape May and sunshades 25 cents. DAILEY & BRO. Expected daily, a full line of La. Sugars

"YOU ARE INVITED," To call at B. F. Blount's and get one of those handsome presents free with each can of baking powder made by the celebrated Forest city Baking Powder Co.

HARDY & Co., wish to state to their friends and the public that since the end of the strike they again find themselves fully stocked up in all lines of goods pertaining to a first class grocery store, and are ready to give all purchasers their best attention, and with prices so low as to distance all com-

## Legal Card.

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The FREE PRESS Extra of Oct. 1883, supplemented by the regular issue of Jan. 28, '86, furnishes the best, most truthful and complete description of our town and county to be had. Call or send to the office for copies-five cents each.

It May Be True That some persons contemplating pur-chases think it necessary for their own pro-tection that they should look through the goods in many stores and perhaps inquire prices in several cities before buying. can safely assure all such and the public generally, that such a course is a waste of You could as well come direct to our The state of the s and we are always pleased to extend such

accommodations as we can. GREEN & MARTIN. The great conscientious merchants NEW YORK, March 28, 1886,

Messrs. Dailey & Bro.,
San Marcos, Texas.
Gents:—As this is a season of laces I have HAYS AND ADJOINbought for you quite a line and had them shipped. I send you the Madrid Silk Lace which is outlined with gold thread and several pieces of the "Fuchia Lace," now

made, kept only at the

I have the sole agency for the Celebrated Casaday (Oliv er Chilled) Sulky Plows and Standard Cultivators, and lawn. They are good wash laces. I send shall be pleased to supply you a piece of real silk, black spanish alloverlace, that I bought from a bankrupt you on liberal terms and stock, at one half its value; this quality sells here for for \$5.00 per yard. I suppose you might sell this one piece at \$3 but then you cannot replace it for the money. The Escurial laces in cream and black is again very at reasonable prices.

Deere Steel Plows and other curial laces in cream and black is again very popular. The white embroidered robes first class Farm Machinery, you ask me about will be worn more this and invite you to call on me before making any pur-

In respect to the above letter we will say chases in these lines. Respectfully, H'M. GIESEN.

Dr. Kelb has resumed his residence in this place.

It is expected that a new survey will be ordered for the purpose or defining and fixing the boundaries of the town. Several important changes will probably be made in bed-spring business again,

male "fortune-teller." the Baptist church Monday night. To mor- nishing store to the Fritz Lauge building. row, Friday night, they most at the Prestor. erian church at 8 o'clock, whan a permanent organization will be effected. All in firmed.

terested in this music are cordially invited. IMPROVEMENTS.—Chas. Wetzel is buildag a handsome residence on the street McClielan & McGehee have opened a ading south from Dailey's corner, Walter branch of their business at Sau Antonio; and will divide their time between the two Sugger and W. S. Gray are building additions to their home places, and Mr. Breed-

completed a handsome residence on the hill the direction of the Chautauqua grounds. And now there is talk of "macadamizing" the public square and the street leading to the depot, by issuing bonds to the amount of some \$10,000 by the city. Very good. But we do not believe the council will necinnati, have favored us with a copy of gleat the interests of the public schools nor their "Sugar Hand-Book," a treatise on overlook the fact that every dollar expended for their benefit will yield immediate and arge returns. The people of San Marcos

The Carnahar place is for rent. Apply

at the Fark Pausa Orrice.

church closed on Sunday night.

There is a growing determination to fa-City Treasurer Raynolds favors us with vor a practical system of street improvethe following financial footings for the cor- ment, and we believe that much can and poration, and promises a fuller statement will be accomplished in this direction which will prove of lasting benefit to our town. We are inclined to agree with those who think that it would be the best plan to conon account of bridge warrants, and a further over too much space.

ED. FREE PRESS :- It was my good for tune Sabbath morning, to listen to an able and logical, discourse, by Mr. French, paster of Presbyterian church, and just here, I wish to express my thanks to the pastor for said discourse, us I had sup-(hoping not to be obtrusive), that the pasors of the several churches give us a discourse on the evil habit of the use of tobac-

habit comes within the ban, and especially is it so when indulged in at church.

L. POWERS. San Marcos, Apr. 12, 1886.

At the first meeting of the new council Monday night the following business was transacted :

read and approved. Bonds of treasurer, as cheer us up. sessor and collector, and city marshal, were read and approved. Report of treasurer approved. Bill of I. H. Julian, printing election notice, \$1.20, Potition from citizens requesting the appointment of T. M. Prince policeman was real. On motion, the office of assistant marshal was dispensed with and the marshal's salary was fixed a t \$50 per month. The judges at the election were allowed \$2 each, making \$40

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THE PENMAN'S GARETTE and Business Ed. neator, is the title of an interesting and valuable monthly, with several numbers of which we have been favored by the publish-ers, the G. A. Gaskell Co., New York and Chicago. Among its special features for the year are practical instruction in phon ography, by Prof. Bridge. Principles of the year are practical instruction in phon ography. ography, by Prof. Bridge, Principal of the school of phonography in the Chautauqua University; Drawing and Designing, con-ducted by Frank Beard; and Book-keeping and Penmanship by Prof. Charles R. Wells, Director of the Chautauqua School of Busi-ness. The Gazztte is replete with valuable and intersting matter in all departments and is the cheapest periodical for the price, which is only \$1 a year, that has come to our notice. "How to Write for The Press," for the practice of law in civil matters in Hayscounty, Texas. Office in Wood's new building, up stairs, free to each subscriber. Send stamps for sample copy. Further and fuller notice will be given hereafter. Address,
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Carpenters Take Notice. Bids for building a Tabernacle on the grounds of the San Marcos Sunday School and Summer Institute, according to plans and specifications in the hands of S. Fisher,

the Secretary, will be received until April 15th, 1886, at 12 M. The Building Committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Bids should be sealed and delivered to the Secretary.

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ING COUNTIES.

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The protracted meeting at the Methodist Newt. Travis has again opened a lumber yard, this time he thinks "for good." Mr. Fromme is laying the ground work

> Jaff Travis informs us be will go into the The latest sensation in our town is a fe-

Mrs. B. Wise has removed her ladies fur-The appointment of H. A. McMeans as postmaster of San Marcos, has been con

We are under obligations to our typo-graphical friend, Cashell, for helping us in a push and pressure of work.

Capt. Storey and Rev. Mr. French left on ing is building a residence near that of Mr. Tuesday for Gonzales to attend the West N. J. Travis, Mr. Owenby has also about Texas Presbytery now in session at that

> Dr. Mathis and wife, with their two very interesting younger children, visited our town on Saturday and Sunday, stopping at Mrs. Cotten's and making welcome calls on other friends. The residence of Rev. Mr. French Friday evening last was "invaded" by a delegation of the ladies of his church in the character of a donation party. The goo

things of life, including the substantials, were furnished in abundance, Mr. French

was absent at a neighbor's and on his re turn was taken completly by surprise by the proceedings. This has been "moving week" to a con siderable extent. Mr. Green Burleson, removed to his new and handsome home Breeding. Mr. Kellam removed on Mon-day to the Love place which he recently purchased, exchanging homes with Mrs. Bruce, who comes to the Thomas place and Dr. Pendleton has repted the old L. W. Mitchell place, now the property of T. C.

Siftings From the Coronal Art Gallery.

[For the Page Pages. ] The moon-lit eves have come again, and now el Luna nuevo rolls in splendor above the hills, pouring a flood of tempered & H. Hardy & Co., will be found in The Wood Building North of Public Square.

light into every "court and hall." posed him not in sympathy with the Pro-hibitionists. I would again like to suggest and once more enlivened College Hill with Miss Kate McGehee has returned home her bewitching smiles and cheery countenance.-Where'ere they go, where'ere they roam, they oftentimes return to their San on—twin evil to whisky.

If as St. Paul says, we have no right to offend our brother—surely this tobacco many fond hearts who have been waiting, many foud hearts who have been waiting,

only waiting for one little smile. Miss Julia Smithers-from the effects of a change and delightful morn and evening walks-begins to wear the rosy bloom of

health in her cheeks, We had the pleasure of a call from Prof. John last week. Many thanks Prof, we The minutes of previous meeting were need a pleasant reminder now and then to Miss Luis McGehee certainly is a very

strong advocate of the mode of Methodist baptism. Mr. Claude Hamilton has crayoned the head of Beatrice de Cenci and it is certainly

late by an amateur.

840 Miss Mamie P. often brings her sunny smile in our midst and if it is not warm His Honor, Wm. Giesen, appointed the enough to melt all the iron the art pupils by the Rev. J. W. Vest, Mr. James C. Yancreate "Pll give you my hat." Mr. N. Brown has been transacting business with Chills, Fever & Co., this week, but we are glad to see him up again.

The grammar class are holding commun-

ion with nature at present.

Our genial friends, Haze Dix and Henry Kone have just returned from Laredo and a portion of Mexico, and report to have enjoyed a pleasant trip.
Mr. Andrew Baxter, of Seguin, paid us a visit this week.

Don Carlos, El Chico.

THE APRIL CENTURY.

"Strikes, Lockouts, and Arbitrations is the title of a timely and important article in the April Century by Geo. May Powell. It aims to be an unbiased study of the re-lations of capital and labor and of the meth-

ods of seltling differences.

Three anecdotal articles in this number form a most entertaining account of the famous Confederate Cruiser Alabama and her duel with the Kearsarge. In point of both illustrations and anecdotal interest, these articles are, perhaps, second to none that have appeared in the Century's War Series.

A portrait of Longfellow, after an ambrotype of 1848, showing the poet in a guise unfamiliar to the public of later years, is the frontispiece of the number. It accompanies a paper by Mrs. Annie Fields, giv-ing 'Glimpses of Longfellow in Social Life,' with many anecdotes as set down both by Mr. Longfellow and by the author's husband, he late James T. Fields. Mr. Cable's paper on "Creole Slave Songs," is as fully illustrated and as entertaining as his February article on "The Dance in the Place Congo." Mr. and Mrs. Pennell conclude their descriptive and pictorial narrative of their novel trip from Florence to Rome, entitled "Italy, from a Trycycle."

REAL ESTATE LOANS.

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New Barber Shop.

Mr. T. M. Poston, formerly of Austin has opened a first-class barber-stop next to Turner's Livery Stable, on the north side square and solicts public patronage. See him.

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J. B. Treon and J. A Cooke. Louis Denis and Lizzie Herndon. James C. Yantis, and Mary E. Townsend MARRIED. YANTIS-TOWNSEND. At the resi dence of the bride's father, April 14, 1886,

tis and Miss Marv E. Hays County, Texas. "Don't Leave Your Mother, Tom," is the title of a selection from the new operas of Adelina Patti, for a copy of which we are indebted to Vernon Fahnestock, publisher of the Musical Advertiser, 957 Liberty Street, Pittsburg, Pa. We find the words very natural and touching—doubtless the music is worthy of them. It epitomizes the romance of a sailor bidding his wife and son sdieu when about to embark on his last voyage. Each stanza closes with the following cho

"Stick to your mother, Tom, when I am Don't let her worry, lad, don't let her Remember that she nursed you when I was far away So don't leave your mother when her hair

turns gray." Rev. Mr. Williamson, of Manchaca, and who is known to everybody in this commu-nity, has a little eleven-year-old daughter who is a perfect musical genius. She can play by ear, any piece of music that she once hears, and has composed several pieces of music that are very pretty, indeed, We predict for the little lady a bright future if she continues to improve as she advance towards maturity.—Kyle Review.



PROMPT.

Estrayed by J. R. Burleson, County Commissioner Precinct No. 3, Hays county one bay bald-face horse, about 5 years old-branded 17 enclosed in a circle on left shoulder, about 13 hands high. Appraised

Witness my hand April 1, 1886. Jan. G. Buntanon, Clerk C. C. Hays Co.

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